

CANTOR COLBURN LLP
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ATTORNEYS
55 Griffin Road South
Bloomfield, CT 06002

Tel: (860) 286-2929

Fax: (860) 286-0115

FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

DATE: July 16, 2001

TO: Janice BurseCOMPANY: United States Patent and Trademark OfficeFAX NO.: (703) 308-7751 TEL. NO.: (703) 308-1202FROM: Pamela J. CurbeloOUR REF.: DP-302454 YOUR REF.: 09/747.184TOTAL NUMBER OF PAGES SENT
(INCLUDING THIS COVER SHEET): 12

COMMENTS:	Janice, Attached herewith is the Response to Notice of Incomplete Reply. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions, comments, or concerns. With best regards, Pamela J. Curbelo
-----------	--

If there are any problems with this transmission, please call Sonia at (860) 286-2929, Ext. 155.

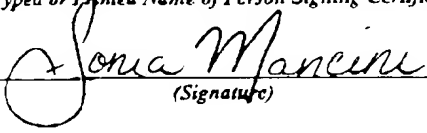
IMPORTANT: This message is intended only for the use of the individual or entity to which it is addressed, and may contain information that is privileged, confidential and exempt from disclosure under applicable law. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, or the employee or agent responsible for delivering it to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that reading, disseminating, distributing or copying this communication is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please immediately notify us by telephone, and return the original message to us at the above address via the U.S. Postal Service. Thank you.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION BY FACSIMILE (37 CFR 1.8)			Docket No.
Applicant(s): GREGORY T. ROTH			DP-302454
Serial No. 09/747,184	Filing Date DECEMBER 21, 2000	Examiner	Group Art Unit

Invention INTEGRATED CATALYTIC CONVERTER AND FLEXABLE ENDCONE ASSEMBLY

I hereby certify that this RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY
(Identify type of correspondence)
is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office (Fax. No. (703) 308-7751
on JULY 16, 2001
(Date)

ATTN: Janice Burse

SONIA MANCINI
(Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate)

(Signature)

Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of mailing.

DP-302454

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: GREGORY T. ROTH)
) Group Art Unit:
SERIAL NUMBER: 09/747,184)
)
FILED: DECEMBER 21, 2000) Examiner: N/A
)
FOR: INTEGRATED CATALYTIC)
)
) CONVERTER AND FLEXABLE)
)
) ENDCONE ASSEMBLY)

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is submitted in response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply dated June 14, 2001. The Notice of Incomplete Reply was issued erroneously; as the declaration was filed along with the Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of an Application on March 26, 2001.

Enclosed herewith please find:

- 1.) A copy of the Notice of Incomplete Reply - **(REQUIRED)**
- 2.) A copy of the Declaration as originally filed with the Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of an Application on March 26, 2001.

DP-302454

- 3.) A copy of the postcard as dated and returned to our office by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, which indicates that a Declaration was included in the Response to Missing Parts of an Application package.
- 4.) A copy of the Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of an Application, which was filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 26, 2001.

REMARKS

Since the Response to Missing Parts of an Application did include all required items, it is respectfully requested that the Response to Missing Parts of an Application be entered as timely filed.

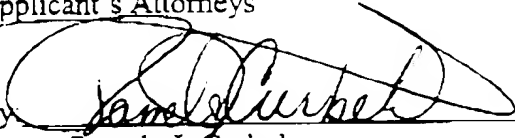
Applicant believes that no fee is due, as the Notice of Incomplete Reply was issued erroneously. If there are any additional charges with respect to this Response or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130 maintained by Applicant's Attorneys.

Respectfully submitted,

GREGORY T. ROTH

CANTOR COLBURN LLP
Applicant's Attorneys

By



Pamela J. Curbelo
Registration No. 34,676
Customer No. 23413

Date: July 16, 2001
Telephone: (860) 286-2929

**Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application
Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533)(Large Entity)**Docket No.
DP-302454

In Re Application Of: GREGORY T. ROTH

Serial No.

09,747,784

Filing Date

DECEMBER 21, 2000

Examiner

Group Art Unit

Invention: INTEGRATED CATALYTIC CONVERTER AND FLEXABLE ENDCONE ASSEMBLY

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**Box Missing Parts**

This is a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) mailed on
February 26, 2001
Date

Enclosed herewith for filing are the following:

- ☒ A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533). (REQUIRED)
- ☐ An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- ☐ A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- ☐ An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- ☐ A verified English translation of the non-English language application papers as originally filed. It is requested that this translation be used as the copy for examination purposes in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.
- ☒ Other (list):
☒ properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Docket Number and Title

Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application
Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533)(Large Entity)Docket No.
DP-302454

In Re Application Of: GREGORY T. ROTH

Serial No.
09/747,784Filing Date
DECEMBER 21, 2000

Examiner

Group Art Unit

Invention: INTEGRATED CATALYTIC CONVERTER AND FLEXABLE ENDCONE ASSEMBLY

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:Box Missing Parts☒ Completion of application fees as calculated below:

- | | |
|---|----------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Utility application filing fee | \$710.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Design application filing fee | _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Total number of independent claims = 3 | _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Total number of claims = 19 | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple dependent claims | _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Surcharge for late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath | \$130.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Petition and fee for filing by other than all the inventors or a person not the inventor | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fee for processing an application filed with a non-English language specification | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fee for processing and retention of application | _____ |

Total completion of application fees \$840.00

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the above-identified Notice to File Missing Parts of Application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired). If an additional time extension is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

☐ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: _____ until: _____
Date Date

Total time extension fees _____

Total fees due \$840.00

Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application
Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) (Large Entity)Docket No.
DP-302454

In Re Application Of: GREGORY T. ROTH

Serial No.
09/747,784Filing Date
DECEMBER 21, 2000

Examiner

Group Art Unit

Invention: INTEGRATED CATALYTIC CONVERTER AND FLEXABLE ENDCONE ASSEMBLY

TO THE ASS STANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:Box Missing Parts

The fee of \$840.00 is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0831.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. _____.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.


SignaturePamela F. Curbelo
Registration No. 34,676
Customer No. 23413
(860) 285-2929

Dated: March 26, 2001

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited
on March 26, 2001 with the U.S. Postal Service as
first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the
Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C.
20231.


Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence

Sonia Mancini

Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence

cc:



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231
WWW.USPTO.GOV

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/747,184	12/21/2000	Gregory Thomas Roth	

CONFIRMATION NO. 5547

FORMALITIES LETTER



OC000000005797076

CANTOR COLBURN LLP
55 Griffin Road South
Bloomfield, CT 06002

Date Mailed: 02/26/2001

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION


FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*


Customer Service Center

Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

THE STAMP OF THE PATENT OFFICE, PLACED HEREON, ACKNOWLEDGES RECEIPT OF

Attorney Docket: DP-302454 (DEP-0111)

Date Mailed: MARCH 26, 2001

Applicant: GREGORY T. ROTH

Serial Number: 09/747,184 Date Filed: DECEMBER 21, 2000

For: INTEGRATED CATALYTIC CONVERTER AND
FLEXABLE ENDCONE ASSEMBLY

.....
Response to Notice to file Missing Parts (3 pages); Copy of Notice to
File Missing Parts (1 page); Declaration (1 page); Certificate of Mailing;
Post Card Receipt

First Class Mailed to USPTO on: MARCH 26, 2001

Received in the USPTO on: